GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Fisheries Department – Allegations against Smt. K. Jyothsna, Fisheries Development Officer, Aqua lab, Bhimavaram for dereliction of duties which caused misappropriation of funds in the O/o JDF, Eluru – Suspended from service - Disciplinary Proceedings instituted - Suspension reviewed – Suspension revoked - Reinstatement into service – Orders - Issued.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEV. & FISHERIES (DY. & VIG.) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 10 Dated: 07-01-2025

Read the following:-

1. From the Commissioner of Fisheries, AP., Vijayawada letter No. 1127/A1/2021, Dt. 06.07.2021 & 04.08.2021.
2. Proceedings of the Commissioner of Fisheries., AP., Vijayawada No. 1127/A1/2021, Dt. 31.07.2021.
3. G.O.Rt.No.106, AHDD&F(Dy.&vig.)Dept., Dt.12.04.2024.

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ORDER:-

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, it was brought to the notice of the Government that an amount of Rs.6,03,16,170/- (i.e., Rs.1,90,28,670/- + 4,12,87,500/-) has been misappropriated in the offices of the Joint Director of Fisheries, Kakinada, East Godavari and Joint Director of Fisheries, Eluru, West Godavari Districts and requested to entrust the case to Vigilance and Enforcement Department for investigation. The case has been entrusted to the Vigilance and Enforcement Department to conduct detailed enquiry.

2. Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, Smt. K. Jyothsna, Fisheries Development Officer, Aqua lab, Bhimavaram was placed under suspension on the allegations of dereliction of duties which caused misappropriation of funds in the O/o JDF, Eluru to the tune of Rs. 2,80,25,000/- (Rupees Two Crores Eighty Lakhs and Twenty-Five Thousand).

3. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against Smt. K. Jyothsna, Fisheries Development Officer (u/s), Aqua lab, Bhimavaram on the above allegations of misappropriation of Government funds in the O/o JDF, Eluru.

4. Government have reviewed the suspension of the above Accused Officer from time to time, in the Committee consisting of the Secretary to Government, AHDD&F Dept., A.P. Secretariat; the Commissioner of Fisheries., AP., Vijayawada in terms of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.86, General Administration (Services.C) Department, Dt.08.03.1994 read with G.O.Ms.No.526, General Administration (Services.C) Department, dt.19.8.2008/G.O.Ms.No.22, GAD(Ser.C), dt:29.02.2024 and in the review held on 17.12.2024, decided to revoke the suspension of Smt. K. Jyothsna, Fisheries Development Officer (u/s), Aqua lab, Bhimavaram and to post her in a non-focal place.

5. Now, therefore, the Government, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub rule (5) of Rule 8 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, hereby revokes the suspension of Smt. K. Jyothsna, Fisheries Development Officer (u/s), Aqua lab, Bhimavaram, with immediate effect and reinstates her into service, without prejudice to the disciplinary /criminal proceedings pending against her and post her in a non-focal post.

6. The Commissioner of Fisheries., AP., Vijayawada shall take necessary action to issue posting orders to the individual forthwith, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M M NAYAK
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The individual **through** the Commissioner of Fisheries, AP., Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of Fisheries, AP., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER